



**Rotterdam Convention on the Prior
Informed Consent Procedure for
Certain Hazardous Chemicals and
Pesticides in International Trade**

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**Conference of the Parties to the Rotterdam Convention
on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain
Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade**
Ninth meeting
Geneva, 29 April–10 May 2019

Provisional agenda

1. Opening of the meeting.
2. Adoption of the agenda.
3. Organizational matters:
 - (a) Election of officers;
 - (b) Organization of work;
 - (c) Report on the credentials of representatives to the ninth meeting of the Conference of the Parties.
4. Rules of procedure for the Conference of the Parties.
5. Matters related to the implementation of the Convention:
 - (a) Status of implementation;
 - (b) Listing of chemicals in Annex III to the Convention;
 - (c) Enhancing the effectiveness of the Convention;
 - (d) Compliance;
 - (e) Technical assistance;
 - (f) Financial resources.
6. Enhancing cooperation and coordination among the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm conventions:
 - (a) International cooperation and coordination;
 - (b) Clearing house mechanism for information exchange;
 - (c) Mainstreaming gender;
 - (d) Synergies in preventing and combating illegal traffic and trade in hazardous chemicals and wastes;
 - (e) From science to action.
7. Programme of work and budget.
8. Memorandum of understanding between the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the United Nations Environment Programme and the Conference of the Parties to the Rotterdam Convention.
9. Venue and date of the tenth meeting of the Conference of the Parties.

10. Other matters.
 11. Adoption of the report.
 12. Closure of the meeting.
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